

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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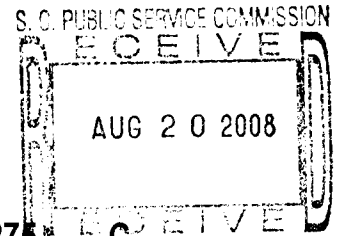
IN RE: APPLICATION OF  
NEXUS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR  
CERTIFICATION AS AN ELIGIBLE  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER

BEFORE THE  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COVER SHEET

DOCKET

NUMBER: 2008 - 275



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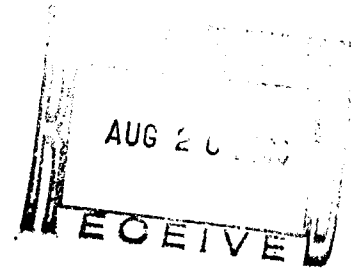
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August 19, 2008

**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

Mr. Charles Terreni  
Chief Clerk of the Commission  
The Public Service Commission  
State of South Carolina  
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210  
(803) 896-5100



RE: Nexus Communications, Inc.  
Docket No. 2008-275-C  
Notice of Filing and Hearing

Dear Mr. Terreni:

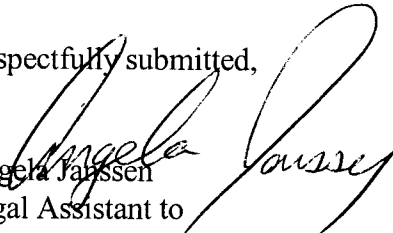
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| 1. | The Florence Morning News | August 4, 2008 |
| 2. | The Greenville News       | August 4, 2008 |
| 3. | The Post and Courier      | August 4, 2008 |
| 4. | The State                 | August 5, 2008 |

I have enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date-stamped and returned in the enclosed envelope provided.

If you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call or e-mail at (678) 775-2253 or [ajanssen@telecomcounsel.com](mailto:ajanssen@telecomcounsel.com).

Respectfully submitted,

  
Angela Janssen  
Legal Assistant to  
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Attorney for Nexus Communications, Inc.

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THE STATE-RECORD CO., INC.  
Columbia, South Carolina  
publisher of

**The State**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF RICHLAND

Personally appeared before me, Peggy Lawrence, Advertising Sales Support Manager of THE STATE, and makes oath that the advertisement,

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was inserted in THE STATE, a daily newspaper of general circulation for the State of South Carolina published in the City of Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issues of

August 5, 2008

*Peggy Lawrence*

Subscribed and sworn to before me

on this day August 6, 2008

*Erly F. Williams*

Notary Public

My commission expires  
March 10, 2013

*"Errors- the liability of the publisher on account of errors in or omissions from any advertisement will in no way exceed the amount of the charge for the space occupied by the item in error, and then only for the first incorrect insertion."*

PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO.  
2008-275-C

**NOTICE OF  
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2008-275-C

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**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**

a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, November 8, 2008.

Before the Commission in the Commission's Hearing Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before August 25, 2008, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. Please refer to Docket No. 2008-275-C.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1441 Main St., Suite 300, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, and Scott Elliott, Esquire, at the above address, on or before August 25, 2008, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please refer to Docket No. 2008-275-C.

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below on or before August 25, 2008. Please refer to Docket No. 2008-275-C.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:**

Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
Attn: Docketing Department  
Post Office Drawer 11649  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211  
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# The Greenville News

greenvilleonline.com

## Classified Advertising

Date: 8/1/2008

Name: / SHAKER ADVERTISING

1100 LAKE ST

OAK PARK

IL 60301

Ad No: 4335402

Class: 0008 Legal Notices (News)

Rate: Legal Rates

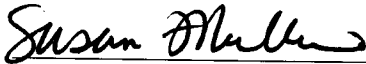
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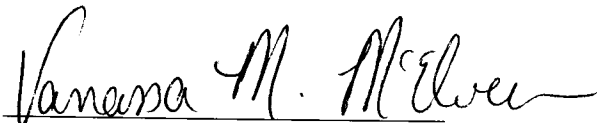
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## AFFIDAVIT

I, Susan F. Mullinax, being the Legal Advertising Agent for *The Greenville News*, do hereby testify that the attached legal ad was published on 95 lines as set forth above, in The Greenville News beginning on 8/4/2008 and ending on 8/4/2008



Susan F. Mullinax  
Legal Advertising Agent



Vanassa M. McElveen  
Notary Public for the State of South Carolina  
My Commission Expires December 1, 2008

Post Office Box 1688 \* Greenville, SC 29602  
Phone: 864.298.4100



305 South Main Street \* Greenville, SC 29601  
Toll Free: 1.800.800.5116

Ad Text:

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OF<QC>  
SOUTH CAROLINA<qC>  
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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ADVERTISEMENT!**

If I can be of further assistance, please call : Susan  
4229

AFFIDAVIT  
OF  
PUBLICATION

# The Post and Courier

State of South Carolina

County of Charleston

Personally appeared before me  
the undersigned advertising Clerk of the  
above indicated newspaper published  
in the City of Charleston, County and  
State aforesaid, who, being duly sworn,  
says that the advertisement of

(copy attached)

appeared in the issues of said newspaper

on the following day(s):

August 4, 2008

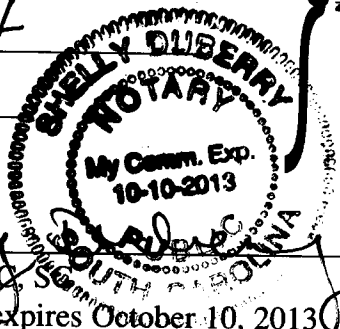
Subscribed and sworn to

before me this 14th day

of August

A.D. 20 08

*Kisha Edging*  
(Advertising clerk)



*Shelly Ouberry*  
NOTARY PUBLIC, SOUTH CAROLINA  
My Commission expires October 10, 2013

PUBLIC SERVICE  
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# Morning News

Carolina Publishing Group

## AFFIDAVIT OF INSERTION

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF FLORENCE

Personally appeared before me

Carlita Patterson

The Legal Clerk for the Morning News, a daily newspaper published in the  
City of Florence, County of Florence, and the State of South Carolina said  
that the attached advertisement was published on 8/4/08

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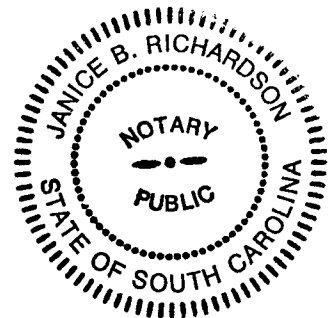
as shown by the files as said company.

Carlita Patterson

Sworn and subscribed before me this 4th day of August 2008

Jamie B. Dunbar NS  
Notary Public South Carolina

Commissions expires: My Commission Expires April 18, 2010



310 S. Dargan Street • P.O. Box 100528 • Florence, South Carolina 29501-0528  
843-317-6397 • [www.morningnewsonline.com](http://www.morningnewsonline.com)

A Media General Newspaper Company

Ad # : 165910  
Name (Primary) : SHAKER ADVERTISING  
Company (Primary) : SHAKER ADVERTISING  
Street 1 (Primary) : 1408 N. WESTSHORE BLVD., SUITE 508  
City (Primary) : TAMPA  
State (Primary) : FL  
ZIP (Primary) : 33607-  
Phone (Primary) : (708) 383-5320  
Start Date : 08/04/2008  
Stop Date : 08/04/2008  
Publication : FMN - MORNING NEWS  
Class Code : 0705 - LEGALS  
Ad Sales Rep. : jrichardson - JANICE RICHARDSON  
Total : \$146.16

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